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Attorney Docket No. 005100.P001

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1.  Fee Transmittal Form  
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2.  Specification [Total Pages 50]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive title of the Invention
  - Cross References to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to Microfiche Appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
3.  Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 25]
4. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 4]
  - a.  Newly executed (original copy)
  - b.  Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 16 completed)
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5.  Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
6. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
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  - a.  Computer Readable Copy
  - b.  Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
  - c.  Statement verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
8.  37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement  Power of Attorney  
(when there is an assignee)
9.  English Translation Document (if applicable)
10.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO - 1449  Copies of IDS Citations
11.  Preliminary Amendment
12.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
13.  \*Small Entity Statement(s)  Statement filed in prior application, Status still proper and desired
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### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101 690	201 345	Utility filing fee	\$690.00		
106 310	206 155	Design filing fee			
107 480	207 240	Plant filing fee			
108 690	208 345	Reissue filing fee			
114 150	214 75	Provisional filing fee			
<b>SUBTOTAL (1)</b>				<b>(\$)</b>	<b>690.00</b>

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
26	5	20 - 3 = 18	6 X 18.00 = \$108.00	
5	3	2 X 78.00 = \$156.00		

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### Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 78	202 39	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 260	204 130	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid
109 78	209 39	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
<b>SUBTOTAL (2)</b>		<b>(\$)</b> 264.00

### 3. ADDITIONAL FEE

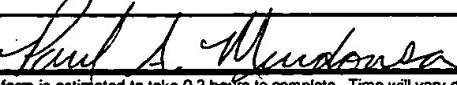
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105 130	205 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath			
127 50	227 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.			
139 130	139 130	Non-English specification			
147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for reexamination			
112 920*	112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
113 1,840*	113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
115 110	215 55	Extension for response within first month			
116 380	216 190	Extension for response within second month			
117 870	217 435	Extension for response within third month			
118 1,210	218 680	Extension for response within fourth month			
128 1,850	228 925	Extension for response within fifth month			
119 300	219 150	Notice of Appeal			
120 300	220 150	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
121 260	221 130	Request for oral hearing			
138 1,510	138 1510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable			
141 1,210	241 605	Petition to revive - unintentional			
142 1,210	242 605	Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
143 430	243 215	Design issue fee			
144 580	244 290	Plant issue fee			
122 130	122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
123 50	123 50	Petitions related to provisional applications			
126 240	126 240	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt			
581 40	581 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			40.00
146 790	246 395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))			
149 790	249 395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))			
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